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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Say NO to price hikes that will increase the cost of internet and telephone services.

We are right now with sonic.com using a single twisted-pair AT&T wire infrastructure for our unlimited no cap, 10 mps download with 1 mbps DSL upload connection with unlimited full-feature landline phone service throughout the USA for only a total of \$63 per month. We are hoping to eventually be connected to sonic's 1000 mbps fiber-optic network in the future for both Internet service and telephone service. The only thing stopping Sonic right now is that the city of San Francisco still does not allow micro trenching to connect us to the new fiber-optic network since we have underground utilities in our neighborhood. So far sonic offer a better deal for Internet plus phone service than AT&T. I certainly don't want to lose access to sonic.com for our Internet plus phone service. I feel, sonic provides excellent customer service if anything should go wrong with the system. They are much better than AT&T when it comes to customer service. We definitely would like to keep using the present infrastructure until the switch to fiber optics. Internet service is extremely important for us for use in banking, information, news, entertainment and shopping.

When AT&T provides fiber-optic service to our area, I certainly want Sonic to be able to access that network also to provide us with fiber-optic Internet service or else allows Sonic to use the same conduit in the street to pull fiber optics to connect us. I feel, competition is extremely important when it comes to Internet and phone service and will not appreciate any changes. In our area we have several Internet service providers, AT&T, sonic.com, Comcast, Monkey Brain

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